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25 **AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR  
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35 Dear Sir:

40 Applicant thanks the Examiner for his Official Action, dated December 8, 2004, responsive to our communication dated 08 November 1947[sic]. In response thereto, Applicant requests that the following amendments be entered:

In the Claims: